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# HAMSPLATTER



Well, here it is October, 83 shopping days till Christmas. Ho! Ho! Ho! I wonder where OJ will shop this year? These cool Fall days do feel good after all the hot ones. Time to get out and enjoy the beautiful colored leaves with a cup of nice hot cider. Don't forget to locate the persimmon trees for later harvest. Mmmmm, I can almost taste the pudding now!

The Fort Wayne Radio Club code and theory classes are underway with a large group of students. It's great to see this number of people take advantage of this excellent opportunity. A huge THANK YOU to the instructors, Bill Kindred (WA9RAP) and Kris Staller (KF9AW) for giving their time and talents.

Because of some local generosity, the FWRC now has its own Cannon plain paper copy machine, donated to us by MAGNAVOX. Words of Thanks and Appreciation go out to all who were instrumental in the acquisition process. It is currently located in Cliff's (N9MKB) shack, and is reportedly producing excellent copies.

Bill Kindred (Repeater Transfer Committee Chairman) reports progress, regarding the transfer of the assets and responsibilities of the '94 (Murphy Repeater), is now in high gear. A transfer pact signed by key Murphy members has been received by Bill and will be presented to the FWRC Board of Directors for consideration and signing. Stay tuned for more details of the merger at the October club meeting.

Several members have expressed an interest, and a desire to be a part of our repeater design and maintenance team. Familiarization and technical understanding seminars are being planned in the near future.



The next meeting of the Fort Wayne Radio Club will be held October 20 at 7:30 PM at the Salem Church clubhouse on Lake Avenue. Formal election of officers will take place, after last minute nominations from the floor. Our featured guest speaker, back by popular demand, will be the very interesting and entertaining, TOMBSTONE LADY. 73's Carl (N9NRO)

## September 1995 Minutes



*The following are the recorded minutes of the Fort Wayne Radio Club:*

The September 1995 meeting of the Ft. Wayne Radio Club was held on 15 September, 1995 at the Salem Church of Christ. President Carl Rittenhouse opened the meeting at 19:30 local, there were about 35 people in attendance.

The August meeting minutes were read and approved without correction. As Treasurer Scott Sides was not present, there was no Treasurer's report.

Carl reported that the September Fox Hunt occurred on Monday the 11th originating as usual from the Allen County Fairgrounds. Foxes KF9AW & KF9VZ employed stealth technology hiding out on a nature trail that caused them to blend into the background, and employed horizontal polarization to make things more difficult. Despite this they were eventually tracked down by a rabid pack of hunters including KB9DOS/KB9DOT, N9NRO, K9OMA/KA9YYI, N9GK/WD9GJF, and N9AVR/N9MKB.

Cliff Shreve provided an initial assessment of the FWRC Hamfest. We had a gate of about 690 regular attendees and 142 vendors. Cliff expects to provide a check for around \$5000.00 to our Treasury next week. Nothing ever goes perfect, so that explains why a Model Rocket Club showed up expecting to have the Fairgrounds to themselves. (The Fairgrounds management made a little mistake, they double booked). In addition, the Arcola High School Class of '64 reunion showed up around 14:00 expecting to be able to get into building #2. Turns out they were not supposed to get into the building until 16:00 so they were slightly unhappy campers. Despite these minor problems the Hamfest was a success thanks to all of the volunteers who helped run the operation. Later in the meeting, door prizes kindly provided by Ted Hughes were raffled off by Jean Anderson for all of the Hamfest volunteers. Cliff noted that he was already forming a committee to start the planning for next years Hamfest.

## September Minutes (Cont)

Carl reported that an offer was made to the Murphy Repeater Group regarding the conditions under which the FWRC was willing to assume responsibility for the operation, maintenance and ownership of the Murphy machines. FWRC offered to keep the present Murphy Repeater phone patch functional for up to two years. Beyond that the club could make no commitments. We are awaiting a response from the Murphy Group regarding this proposal.

Bill Kindred announced that the Code and Theory Classes would start Monday, 9/18/95 at the ITT Technical Institute on Coldwater Rd. Classes will be conducted Mondays and Thursdays from 19:00 to 21:00 comprised of one hour of code taught by Bill and one hour of theory taught by Kris Staller.

Kris Staller reported that he has arranged to have QSL cards produced through Instant Copy. Two (FWRC) related card designs are available and you can have your call and other data added to the card stock for a total cost of \$0.10 per card. Kris will process your orders through Instant Copy and expects a typical turn-around time from order to cards- ready of about one month. He expects to be ready to start the process by next months meeting.

Carl announced that club elections will occur at the October meeting. He turned the floor over to Bill Hall who is again serving as the election committee. Bill opened the floor for nominations with the following persons nominated to run for office:

President- N9MKB, N9NRO  
 Vice President- KF9AW  
 Secretary- WB9SSE  
 Treasurer- N9PXG  
 Communications Manager- open

Board of Directors- N9NRO, W9BRW, KB9DOS, KB9DOT, WB9RUS  
 IRCC Reps- WD9HII, WA9RAP

Bill will reopen nominations at the October meeting prior to the election. If you are interested in serving as an officer or on the Board, or as an IRCC rep contact Bill Hall and have your name added to the slate.

September's feature program was provided through the efforts of Jim Wolf who arranged to have Dave Zeph, W9ZRX provide us a thoroughly interesting program on the joys of serious DXing and Multi-multi station contesting.

Cliff announced that the featured speaker at next months meeting will involve a return visit from the Tombstone Lady.

The meeting concluded about 21:45 hours.

*Respectively submitted,*

*Al Burke, WB9SSE*



## QSL Cards Now Available

As of this writing, the typesetting work on the "international" version of the FWRC QSL card has been completed and we will be ready to start taking orders at the October meeting, pending approval of the first run of test cards.

The new cards were graphically designed and laid-out using the Club editing software and scanner. The design will be nearly identical to the old cards, consisting of the "old fort" graphic and report box on one side of the card. The card stock will be a little lighter in color and the base ink color will still be brown. As before, the Club will print up a stock of blank cards (about 5000 at a time) and will process orders from that stock. Personal information (callsign, address, special symbols, etc) will be printed onto the blank card stock, using red ink.

I will have QSL order forms at the next club meeting. Within the next month, the "standard" version of the QSL card will be developed (the date box is not segregated into day, month and year) and ready for orders.

The tentative cost for each card is expected to be around 10 cents each, but should be finalized by the meeting.

## ARRL Membership Renewal Service

One of the services that the Club used to perform for the membership was processing of ARRL renewal forms. This was a benefit to the members, as it saved them the time and trouble of writing a second check and the cost of postage. It also benefitted the Club, as the ARRL gave a portion of the membership dues back as a "bonus" for collecting and forwarding the forms.

Over the past year, this service has experienced problems, including minimum quantity orders, lapses in membership of forms submitted under the club-renewal service, one case of a form misplaced at the ARRL (this required extra legwork by Club officers to resolve the burden of proof), and the reduction of the bonus paid back to clubs.

The insistence of minimum quantity orders will cause a delay in processing at our end. For example, Joe has a renewal date of July and gives his renewal form and money to the club in June. Jim and Sam have renewal dates in August, and submit their forms in July. Steve and Charlie have renewal dates in September and send in their forms to the club in August. Having acquired a minimum number of renewal forms (5), the club treasurer sends all five to the ARRL in August. Joe's membership has since lapsed for one month, and Jim and Sam will probably miss a month, depending on how quickly the forms get processed.

Based on this new requirement and the recent experience of slow processing and misplaced forms, the Club decided last year to discontinue the service. We strongly recommend that you send in your ARRL renewal forms directly to the ARRL headquarters. Please note that we have taken the ARRL renewal check-box off the FWRC membership form. We have had a few old forms submitted recently with combined ARRL and FWRC dues. We have forwarded those forms, but the timeliness of their processing will be at your risk. We appreciate your willingness to support the Club through this program, but the risk of lapsed ARRL membership has forced us to stop accepting them.

## OTC by W9TC

The last issue of the Hamsplatter (August 1995) contained information supplied by Bill Kindred - the clips furnished were from a 1922 issue of the Radio Club publication of "Radio - PEP". It is interesting to note the two Reporters listed. "Chuck" Krommiller, W9UC, who for 25 years was the instructor for the FWRC. Chuck was an EE who worked at GE. He held several patents on Fluorescent Lamp Ballasts. He was the only Fort Wayne GE employee to win the Coffin Award. Chuck was an Assistant Director of the Central Division of the ARRL for five years. Chuck's first call was 9UC in 1920, next was 9CRH in 1927, followed by 9AMM in 1931 and in 1940 back to 9UC with a W prefix. The other reporter named was Robert Dreisback (I am unable to remember his call - Ray W9JOQ would remember it). His father was the postmaster of Fort Wayne and was a stockholder in the Magnavox Company. Robert was an EE at Magnavox. I am only able to recall a total of four Radio Amateurs at the Company in 1933 other than myself. They were a Mr. Reed who was the head of inspection of capacitors; Bob Dreisback who was an EE; one night watchman (unable to remember his name or call) who was a member of the FWRC; and Mr. Richard O'Conners who was President of the Company.

In 1933 I worked from 6 pm to 6 am seven days a week. Job classified as Forming and Ageing of Dry Electrolytic Capacitors. At times the night watchmen would stop to say hello. Several times Mr. O'Conners would stop to chat as he made his way around the plant.

I wonder how many of you attended the State Convention that was held in 1924 at the Anthony Hotel by the Fort Wayne Radio Club?

We have a report of another Silent Key: Albert A. Rainous, W9IE. His call appears to have been dropped sometime after 1984. (13 Aug 1995 News-Sentinel)

**ALBERT A. RAINOUS**, 74 of Fort Wayne died Friday in Golden Years Homestead. The Lincoln, Neb., native retired in 1960 from the Air Force, was a veteran of World War II and the Korean War, and a member of the American Radio Relay League.

Have you worked any of the following calls?  
All 1920:

9AKH	Lawrc. Zehrung, 1027 Home Ave
9AW	E. E. Nisonger
9CJ	John R Parnin, 1239 W Berry
9HD	Geo. D Bauer, Weisser Park
9HJ	Louis B Hall, 1207 Oregon Ave
9ME	Lavern S Slagle, 530 Masterson
9PC	Ralph H. Meyer, 2137 Oakley
9SZ	Harold H Bonney
9TA	Ross Parnin
9UC	C W Krommiller, 2908 Weisser Pk
9UE	Thomas W Fels
9UM	Edward Erickson
9UO	Robert E Bitner
9VS	D A Diffenderfer
9WA	R J Coats
9WG	P B Parks
9WJ	H W Struver

## FALL 1995

Some of the Club members may have noticed that I have changed hats this month. The new hat reads "Great Grandfather". So Off with the old and on with the new.

First may I offer two suggestions for the FWRC: Number 1. Include the End Date for receiving Advertisements and Articles to be published in the "Hamsplatter" (The publishing deadline is two weekends prior to the regular Club meeting - This deadline is now printed on the last page -ed) Number 2. Any member who has paid dues for 50 years shall become a life member and be no longer required to pay dues.

Several of the Old Timers were disappointed upon hearing that K9UMQ, Bill Lewis, was in Fort Wayne for about one week without making contact with several of us Oldies. Did he appear on the Club repeater? How could he hide, since he arrived in his \$500,000.00 Greyhound Motor Home?

Both KE9T and myself had been on hold all week waiting to hear from Bill. Bill presently is living in a new home in Yuma, AZ. Some members may recall when Bill would call at their place of work and calibrate their Honeywell Instruments. Other members may remember when K9UMQ and KE9T started a Company to

manufacture "Antenna Wax". They would discuss the development of the product on CW to obtain some privacy. They later aborted that medium due to an influx of breakers wanting more details.

A moment I remember is a discussion with K9UMQ on the 76 machine. I called Bill a Typhoon, meaning it as a pun for tycoon. Upon reaching home, Bill received a phone call from one of our female Club Members. This lady was a former High Wire Performer with Barnum & Bailey. Her message was; Bill, did you hear what old TC called you?

K9UMQ helped many times on the 14,313 Maritime Mobile Net. One evening he started running phone patches for one of our Military Ships, which was returning from overseas. Due to the large number of patches, Bill requested an operator to stay on the line with the operator calling the next family and have them on hold.

You may ask why so much on one Club Member? A year ago I received a call advising me that Bill was arriving at the point where he would say 73 and SK, due to a report of a failing heart. Now we have been advised that report has been changed to "Go get them Bill". K9UMQ retired as the CEO of the Pyromation Co. Now we can mail a copy to Bill and he will be able to read his own obituary, for which we thank the Supreme Master.

73's, W9TC

## VE Exams scheduled for November 4th

A walk-in VE test session will be held on Saturday morning, November 4, 1995 at the Georgetown Branch Library on the east side of Ft. Wayne. For more information, contact Bill Kindred, WA9RAP at 485-8044 or Bill Hall, WD9HII at 485-3995.

## 50 Watt Mobile 2 meter Rig to be Raffled Off

The Hamfest grand prize was won by a non-ham. Since he was given the cash equivalent, the Club now has a new rig on its hands. Raffle tickets will be sold at \$5 each or 3 for \$10. See Cliff Shreve or buy them at the Club table at the Nov. Fest.

## - ELECTIONS -

Bill Hall, WD9HII

As provided in the F.W.R.C. constitution and by-laws the Nominating Committee for 1996 Club officers and directors has assembled the following slate:

### President:

Cliff Shreve N9MKB

### Vice President:

Kris Staller KF9AW

### Secretary:

Al Burke WB9SSE

### Treasurer:

Carl Rittenhouse N9NRO

### Communications Mgr.

- open -

### Board Members (4 Req.):

Bob Rose W9BRW  
 Kim Machamer KB9DOS  
 Jim Machamer KB9DOT  
 Carole Burke WB9RUS

### IRCC Reps. (10)

Bill Kindred WA9RAP  
 Bill Hall WD9HII

Given that there are not candidates for all positions, there will be an open nominating session prior to the elections at the October 20 meeting. To continue the greatness of this club's activities, won't you please consider running for Comm. Mgr. or as one of the 10 IRCC Reps.?

Thank you;

Bill Hall WD9HII  
 Chm. Nominating Comm.

## Ham News -W5YI Report

The FCC will shortly be distributing the new FCC Form 610-R Amateur Radio Station License Renewal application to those amateurs whose license expires in December 1995. Originally this renewal form was to be a return a return card. But it has now been changed to an 18½x11" paper form which will be able to be handled by the FCC's existing mailing equipment in Gettysburg. Strangely the form is to renew the station license - not the operator portion which might mean that the FCC is preparing to make the operator portion lifetime term ticket. (ARRL has already requested this handling.)

The 610-R renewal form will be imprinted with the licensee's name, address, call sign, operator class, station privileges, and effective/expiration date of the current license. The 610-R may be used only where the information has not changed. The applicant simply signs the bottom certification section and returns to the FCC in Gettysburg, PA if all the information is correct. The form states, "...Check the pre-printed information, you may correct misspelled words, but if any other information shown on your license has changed, do not file this form. You must apply for modification of the license by filing [the regular] Application Form 610.

### The ARRL's telephone area code has changed.

Their previous "203" area code is now restricted to Southern Connecticut. The northern part of Connecticut is now area code "860." Thus, the ARRL's phone number is now 860/594-0200, FAX: 860/594-0259.

**German cosmonaut, Thomas Reiter, DF5TR is now aboard the Russian space station signing DP0MIR.** He will use the 2-meter ham radio rig aboard MIR during the next three months. Frequencies will be 145.8, 145.55 and 145.2. QSLs go via the German DARC QSL bureau.

Scientists at Caltech's Big Bear Observatory say they identified the first new sunspot in the next sunspot cycle on August 12th. This could indicate an early beginning to Cycle 23 with sunspot maximum appearing in 1998 or 1999 - two years earlier than anticipated. As the sunspots begin to appear, so does improved HF radio communications!

### PROPAGATION - by AD5Q OCTOBER 1995

We are now in the peak of the fall season. DX paths are shifting and will continue to shift. 15 Meters is as good as it will get, and is mostly dead. African stations show with good regularity, and this path is open nicely to the states through most of the afternoon. 15 is especially worth watching on weekends, but European signals are still few in number. A beam on 17 Meters would help in working some of the paths that are missing on 15. 17 should remain somewhat open through the bottom of the solar cycle. 17 and 20 are now the best bands for day path work.

On 20, the morning path to S.E. Asia is mostly gone, and now favors the east coast where it is more of a polar path. Since the grey line is now almost directly over the pole, we will have narrow pipelines into central Asia in the morning and evening. As the grey line continues to shift, we can expect our main path to the Orient to occur in the early evening. There is news of an operation from Burma, but no specific information about a substantial expedition at this time. African paths are open for most of the afternoon and into the evening. Morning DX on 20 now favors Europe, and includes the Middle East. The peak of the window is kinda short, and later in the morning only the loudest Europeans are copyable. (This means that the East Coast will have Europe all to itself during DX contests.) As signals fade in the late morning, it is a good idea to move to 17 Meters if you have an antenna there. 15 will sound a lot like 10: The heavy action on these bands during contests will be for Caribbean and South American multipliers.

## Solar Propagation Forecast (cont)

20 now closes well before midnight. The further north you live, the earlier the band closes. On the other hand, the band stays open quite late in tropical regions and in the southern hemisphere. This means you can work into these areas late in the day, and these will be the last paths to close. The last Asian path to close is usually to Western Siberia - UA0.

Nose levels on 40 have dropped substantially since the summer, and signals are better. This is a nice band to Europe in the evening, with paths open to Russia in the early evening. It is also an excellent source for African signals. The Asian opening, of course, is in the morning before and after sunrise.

80 is opening, but there is not a lot of activity from Europe yet (perhaps on SSB, but I don't tune there). Some of the African regulars from last season are starting to appear on the low bands. I hope every body has their EWE's ready by now - it's going to be a great season on 80 & 160.

## A Big THANK YOU to our Hamfest Volunteers!

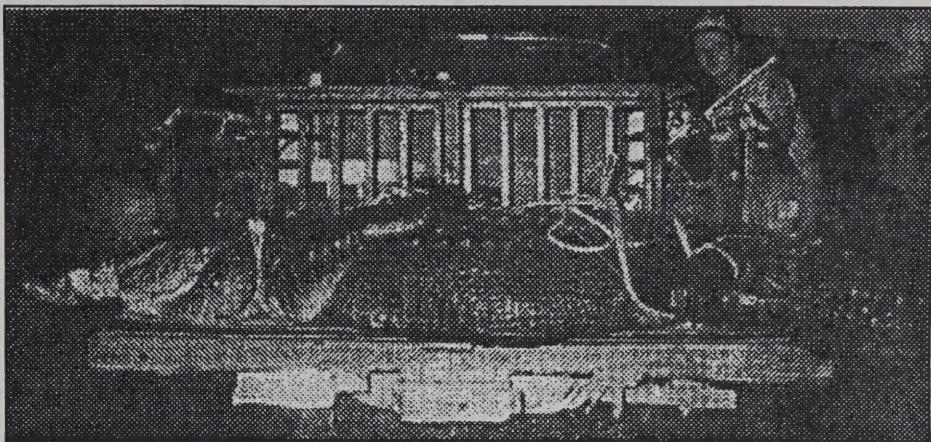
-Cliff N9MKB

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of our volunteers who helped make the 1995 Summit City Hamfest a success. I know that without your hard work and dedication, this event, which is one of the biggest fund-raising event for the Club, would simply not take place. If you have comments and or suggestions on how we can further improve the quality of the Hamfest, feel free to contact me.

- Cliff N9MKB

## New Hamsplatter Editor

I am pleased to announce that Todd Hargis, N9XRG has volunteered to take the helm of the Hamsplatter newsletter. We will be working on transfer of the editing responsibilities over the next two to three months, so please be patient with the changes.



## Allen County Foxhunt

As you can see in the above photo, there is not always a "fox" at the end of the hunt - in this case, it was a 500 lb carnivorous reptile! This 11-foot long beast was the object of a fox hunt in Pensacola, Fla., in the Blackwater River State Park. Over 25 hunting dogs were reported as missing in the area over a period of 20 years. The 30 year-old bull-gator was tracked by amateur radio fox hunters after it caught and consumed a dog with an electronic transmitter tracking collar. Six similar collars were found in the gator's stomach. Authorities speculate that the steady supply of dogs probably kept the gator from attacking children in a popular swimming hole nearby.

Thanks to Jim, KF9VZ, for the article. As often as my collie ran away from home, this type of collar would have come in handy! Maybe we could have an on-foot hunt with a radio collar attached to a rabbit, groundhog, or other wild critter?

Since our last report, there have been a few changes in the Allen County Fox Hunt: We now alternate the "style" of hunt between the "Competition" and "Cooperative" modes. The competition hunt is the same as before, with each hunter starting with 1000 points and an overall score determined by the beginning score minus points for time and mileage consumed in locating the fox. The "Fox" is also awarded points based on the aggregate scores of the hunters - the longer the average time and distance of the

hunters, the higher the foxes' score. The cooperative hunt takes place with the hunters acting in coordination with each other, using a common communication frequency to give signal and bearing reports after each transmission. No points are awarded in this hunt, but the first hunter on the scene is named as the fox for the next hunt. In a real life fox hunting situation, such as a plane crash or intentional frequency jamming (as in Dayton last year), these group communication and coordination skills are essential in quickly identifying and getting to the location of the fox.

The Allen County Foxhunts alternate between the two hunt styles every other month. The hunts take place on the first Sunday of each month (meet at 1pm at the County Fairgrounds), with the next one taking place on November 5th. This will be a competition hunt, with Walt, N9AVR and Cliff, N9MKB as the foxes. The December hunt will take place on the 3rd, and will be a cooperation hunt. The Allen County hunts have become a bit sophisticated lately. You will need at least a mobile or portable 2 meter radio, a small yagi beam antenna, and an attenuator. If you do not possess this equipment, you are still welcome to come out and ride along with one of the hunting groups. Learn the different equipment, mapping tools, and techniques used by the different hunters. We'll see you there!

The Whitley County Fox Hunts are held on the second Sunday of the Month on 446.00 MHz. Meet at the Aldi's Parking lot on US30 and SR109 at 12:30pm.

# November 1995 - Communications Calendar

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
August 1995		October 1995			3	
1 2 3 4 5		1 2 3 4 5 6 7	2			4 Hunt ARES 20:00
6 7 8 9 10 11 12		8 9 10 11 12 13 14	Foxtrot Net 19:00			ARRL Sweepstakes CW >
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Allen County 2m Foxhunt						
Massillon Hamfest						
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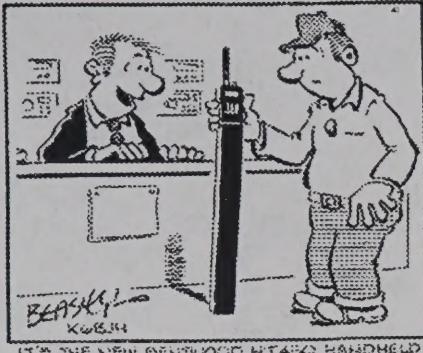
Check QST and CQ for Contest Times and Rules

(Times listed are in Eastern Standard Time GMT-5 hours)

NET FREQS: TNT 146.76 | Murphy Swap 146.94 | Sloppy Code 7.1405 | Huntington ARES 146.685 | Whitley ARES 444.550 w/ 146.46 simplex link (WCARC net Sunday 19:45 on same frequency)

21 Repeater Group 147.150 | Foxtrot FM/AM 28.100 SSB 28.405 | Daily Nets: Ft Wayne 6m 50.58 (simplex) 19:00 | IMO Traffic 146.88 18:30 | Auburn 147.360 18:00  
Mobile Ten SSBCW 28.400 Saturday 19:00

[Key: > Event begins < Event ends]



IT'S THE NEW BENTWOOD HT400 HANDHELD  
WITH THE 'ALL WEEK LONG' BATTERY PACK.



Do you have an interesting article, news item, or cartoon which you can contribute to the Hamsplatter? Do you have some spare equipment collecting dust that you want to sell? If so, please contact me, Kris, KF9AW. My day phone is 487-3286, evenings 486-7324. Packet messages can be directed to me on 144.97, W9INX.

The deadline for submissions to the November Hamsplatter is November 4, 1995!

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1994 MEMBERSHIP DATA: (Give this form to the treasurer at any FWRC meeting or mail to address below)

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ CALL \_\_\_\_\_ CLASS: N    T    G    A    E

MAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME TELEPHONE # ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ WORK TELEPHONE # ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

SHALL WE LIST YOUR ADDR/PHONE# IN MEMBER ROSTER?    Y    IN ARRL MEMBER?    Y    N

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MEMBERSHIP TERM: (JAN-DEC) (JULY-DEC, July 1-Dec 31 ONLY)

FAMILY MEMBERSHIP: \_\_\_\_\_ \$21.00/yr \$10.50/yr immediate family(list all calls)

REGULAR MEMBERSHIP: \_\_\_\_\_ \$15.00/yr \$7.50/yr licensed member

STUDENT MEMBERSHIP: \_\_\_\_\_ \$ 6.00/yr \$3.00/yr full-time student

ASSOCIATE MEMBER: \_\_\_\_\_ \$15.00/yr \$7.50/yr unlicensed member

YOUR CHECK NUMBER # \_\_\_\_\_ PLEASE PAY BY CHECK, IT'S EASIER FOR BOTH OF US!

FORT WAYNE RADIO CLUB MEMBERSHIP HANDBOOK (Request one from President at any Regular Club Meeting) Provided at no cost to club members, this handbook provides a full set of information about present and past Club activities, events, and functions. The handbook is available in a clear cover binder, and is upgradeable by easy insertion of new pages into the three-hole binder.

## The Fort Wayne Radio Club - Celebrating 75 years of Service

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WALT WOOD N9AVR RON BISHOP N9HZH

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